

you of the little worries of business or the compliment the "boss" paid him. If you never again could see him greet the children with that rough tenderness that brings a lump into your throat.

And then ask yourself what you would do if the children should be taken from you and you would never see them again? Never have them come to you with a bruised knee or a hurt finger, beseeching you to heal the hurt with a kiss?

Never be able to listen again to their "God bless mamma" prayers or tuck them into their little beds, or kiss their foreheads damp from play?

And I think, if you will do this honestly, your eyes that look back at you from the mirror will accuse you of a very great selfishness that you have not appreciated what a happy woman you are, and I think you will be glad that you searched your heart and found, before it is too late, that you would be utterly miserable without the husband who doesn't live on the same plane with you or the children who are too young to sympathize.

Stop imagining yourself misunderstood and try to adjust yourself to those about you. Try to find their sweetness and their dearness to which you have heretofore shut your eyes; and when you have made yourself one with the three who love you, then try to make yourself harmonize with life by studying the lives of others, by discovering how very much real misery there is in the world that is borne bravely while you have whimpered about fancied misery.

And when you have made yourself harmonize you will not suffer from soul-hunger and you will not be misunderstood. But I do think you will often smile whimsically at the thought that you ever wrote such a letter.

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Roman stripe materials are smartest when blue and green predominate.

## WHERE HAS MURPHY'S BASEBALL DOUGH GONE?

Where is the \$1,000,000 which "Chubby Charley" Murphy, former boss of the Chicago Cubs, claimed to have quit the game with after starting with a shoestring? It is muchly absent from the personal property schedule he sent to the board of assessors.

Murphy's financial rise was spectacular. But if his property schedule is to be believed he has slipped far more rapidly.

Murphy only scheduled \$6,650. On his schedule is the following item: "Money—\$1,800."

But Ass't State's Att'y Henry Berger is right on his trail. Berger stole a march on Murphy and has produced a number of the daily interviews Murphy used to hand out to reporters while he was boss of the Cubs.

An investigation will be made.

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## ERNEST OWEN KILLS SELF

Ernest Dale Owen, 64, formerly one of the best-known attorneys in the city, shot and killed himself last night in the Hotel Del Prado.

Owen shot himself after his wife had gone downtown. He left no note. His wife and friends say he was despondent because of a cancer, which had been declared incurable.

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The Bluejay—Do you believe that the world is going crazy?

The Squirrel—More; I fervently hope so.